

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Appl. No.: 09/851,461

Applicants: Hung-Hsiang Jonathan CHAO, Eiji OKI

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Title: SCHEDULING THE DISPATCH OF CELLS IN MULTISTAGE

SWITCHES

TC/A.U.: 2667

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the final Office Action mailed on April 4, 2006 (Paper No. 04032006), which set a period for response to expire on July 4, 2006, that period being extended one (1) month to expire on August 4, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 13 of this paper.